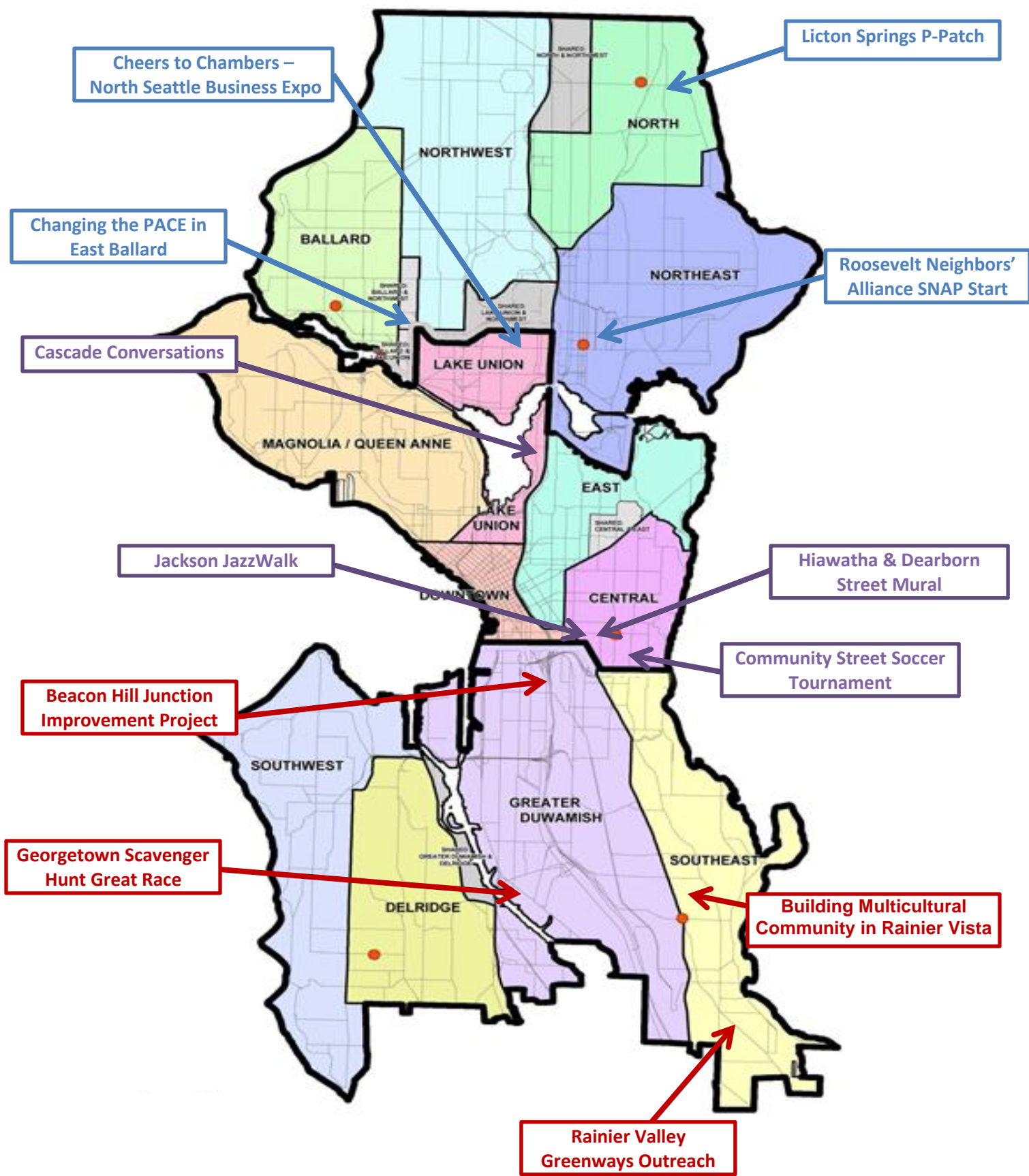




# People’s Academy for Community Engagement (PACE)

## 2013-2014 Community Project Selection



The PACE Team received 37 Community Project applications, representing 33 Seattle neighborhoods. Projects were evaluated based on: geographical distribution, project type, the role of PACE participants in project, and time and budget feasibility.

Twelve projects were selected to move forward in the PACE Community Projects selection process. In October, PACE participants will select six out of the twelve projects as 2013-14 PACE Community Projects; two in each of the North, Central, and South Seattle regions.

Neighborhood		Applicant Organization	Project Name	Project Description
NORTH REGION	Licton Springs	Licton Springs P-Patch	<b>Licton Sprints P-Patch</b>	This project would help provide access to the new garden for ALL members of the community by implementing non-traditional gardening structures that would allow for wheelchair access. Examples of these structures include barrels, trellises, hanging baskets on levers. This project would also have an outreach component in promoting this gardening opportunity for disabled persons in the community.
	University District	Roosevelt Neighbors' Alliance (RNA)	<b>Roosevelt Neighbors' Alliance SNAP Start</b>	This project will help RNA organize a SNAP (Seattle Neighborhoods Actively Prepare) group in the U District. This will involve 1) planning neighbor gatherings 2) identifying a triage area and a place to meet, 3) identifying special skills/resources in the area, 4) gathering/storing materials, and 5) assigning neighbor's key responsibilities. This SNAP project will serve as a model for surrounding neighborhoods.
	Ballard	East Ballard Community Association (EBCA)	<b>Changing The PACE in East Ballard</b>	This project will help EBCA increase the number and diversity of neighbors willing to contribute time, money, expertise to building strong working and playing relationships in and between communities. With the input from PACE participants, they will select one of the following ideas to work on: East Ballard Tours, International Potluck Dinner Theater, or an Al Fresco Family Movie Night.
	Fremont	Wallingford Chamber of Commerce	<b>Cheers to Chambers, North Seattle Business Expo</b>	This project will develop and implement an outreach plan for getting North Seattle residents to attend and participate in a Joint-Chamber event that will showcase different businesses from Fremont, Ballard, Crown Hill, Wallingford, Queen Anne, Greenwood/Phinney, Green Lake, and Lake City.
CENTRAL REGION	Cascade/South Lake Union	Lake Union Opportunity Alliance	<b>Cascade Conversations</b>	This project aims to bring residents and businesses together through four informal meetings, where residents gain deeper awareness of businesses in the area and businesses would gain better understanding of the types of goods/services that would best serve Cascade neighbors.
	Squire Park/Central District/Jacks on Place	Soccer for the Community	<b>Community Street Soccer Tournament</b>	This project would invite the community to participate in a street soccer tournament where a better communication amongst community members can be fostered through an environment of camaraderie. It will be a multi-cultural event where people from different ethnicities can come together to play soccer. This event will take place at the end of March 2014.

	Jackson Place	Jackson Place Community Council	<b>Hiawatha &amp; Dearborn Street Mural</b>	This project will be the design phase of a street mural at the intersection of S. Dearborn Street and Hiawatha Place S. This project aims to bring Jackson Place's new and growing community together to accomplish this neighborhood beautification project, as well as create a safer intersection for drivers, pedestrians and cyclists who bike along Hiawatha to reach the Mountains to Sound Trail.
	Central District	Jackson Commons	<b>Jackson Jazz Walk</b>	Mid-Winter activation of Jackson Street with a Jazz Walk, featuring jazz combos playing in several neighborhood cafes and restaurants along Jackson Street in the Central District. This would be the first time this is attempted on Jackson Street. We have about 6 to 7 potential spaces for music.
SOUTH REGION	Beacon Hill	Beacon Hill Merchants Association	<b>Beacon Hill Junction Improvement Project</b>	This project is to create an outreach and work plan to improve the Bayview Triangle, a single block along Beacon Avenue that connects the core of our business district with the LINK station. Our project will include a community outreach plan with specific buildings and businesses especially included, a planning process, and an attempt to identify other funds both private and public that can be used to improve the area.
	Georgetown	Friends of Georgetown History	<b>Georgetown Scavenger Hunt Great Race</b>	This project is to plan the Georgetown Scavenger Hunt Great Race, an adventure game where teams of 2-4 people solve clever clues and face fun challenges while discovering the neighborhood in a fun new way. PACE participants will work with the Friends of Georgetown History to plan the event. This will include: developing promotional materials, developing the clues, getting businesses & organizations to participate, outreach & promotion for the event to community members.
	Rainier Valley	Rainier Valley Greenways	<b>Rainier Valley Greenways Outreach Initiative</b>	This project is to conduct a variety of outreach efforts including planning one or more outreach events at local community centers preferably near housing developments in the Rainier Valley (New Holly, Rainier Vista etc.). These events will allow Rainier Valley Greenways to reach a broad audience of community members, present our ongoing work and plans, and enlist further support.
	Rainier Vista	Rainier Vista Resident Group	<b>Building Multicultural Community in Rainier Vista</b>	The first part of this project will be to develop a strategy for building relationships among Rainier Vista's multicultural and mixed-income neighbors at the block level. The second part is to coordinate a Rainier Vista Town Hall-style Event with Key Elected Officials—including such aspects as facility rental, recruitment of elected officials, and planning for food, childcare, and event promotions.